

# EAST LAUREL WATER DISTRICT

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EAST LAUREL WATER DISTRICT

OF

Laurel County, Kentucky

## Rates, Rules and Regulations for Furnishing

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### DEPOSITS

The East Laurel Water District may require a cash deposit to secure payment of bills. Service may be refused or discontinued for failure to pay the required deposit. Interest, as prescribed by KRS 278.460 will be paid annually either by refund or credit to the customers's bill, except that no refund or credit will be made if the customer's bill is delinquent on the anniversary date of the deposit.

The deposit may be waived upon a customer's showing of satisfactory credit or payment history, and required deposits will be returned after one (1) year if the customer has established a satisfactory payment record for that period. If a deposit has been waived or returned and the customer fails to maintain a satisfactory payment record, a deposit may then be required. The District may require a deposit in addition to the initial deposit, if the customer's classification of service charge or if there is a substantial change in usage. Upon termination of service, the deposit, any principal amounts, and any interest earned and owed will be credited to the final bill with any remainder refunded to the customer.

In determining whether a deposit will be required or waived, the following criteria will be considered.

1. Previous payment history with the District. If the customer has no previous history with the District, statement from other utilities, banks, etc. may be presented by the customer as evidence of good credit.
2. Whether the customer has an established income or line of credit.
3. Length of time the customer has resided or been located in the area.
4. Whether the customer owns property in the area.
5. Whether the customer has filed bankruptcy proceedings within the last seven years.
6. Whether another customer with a good payment history is willing to sign as a guarantor for an amount equal to the required deposit.

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If a deposit is held longer than 18 months, the deposit will be recalculated at the customer's request based on the customer's actual usage. If the deposit on account differs from the recalculated amount by more than \$10.00 for a residential customer or 10 percent for a non residential customer, the District may collect any underpayment and shall refund any overpayment by check or credit to the customers bill. No refund will be made if the customers bill is delinquent at the time of recalculation.

All residential customers will pay equal deposits in the amount of \$30. This amount does not exceed the average annual bill of residential customers served by the District and is equal or less to 2/12 of the average annual bill.

All commercial customers will pay equal deposits in the amount of \$75.00. This amount does not exceed the average annual bill of commercial customers served by the District and is equal or less to 2/12 of the average annual bill.

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East Laurel Water District

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**RULES AND REGULATIONS**

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5. A \$20.00 service charge will be charged for connection/reconnection of service.

**LEAK ADJUSTMENT POLICY****Determination of a Leak**

Our field employees notice when reading meters if the usage of a customer is unusually high and if the meter is running. If so, they go to the customers door to talk with them about a possible leak. If no one is at home they leave them a note for them to contact the office that they may have a leak. At other times the customer will call the office to ask for someone to come turn their meter off that they have a leak and need assistance. Leaks are then determined by field investigation by designated employees who then reports back to the customer and to the office staff as to whether a leak was determined.

**Adjustment of a Leak**

The reduction of the bill is based on the total amount of the water usage. The amount of the customers average three (3) month's water usage bill is subtracted from the bill or bills which are higher than normal due to a water leak. The district will reduce the bill in the amount of 50%. The customer may be granted payments for this 50% payment if he chooses. This leak adjustment is a one time adjustment.

Example:		Absorbed by <u>District</u>	Due From <u>Customer</u>
Water usage bill or bills with leak	\$100.00		
3 mos. average bill	<u>-10.00</u>		
	\$ 90.00		
1/2 of bill		\$45.00	\$45.00
3 mo. average monthly bill			<u>10.00</u>
			\$55.00

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TitleBY: Stephan D. Bell  
SECRETARY OF THE COMMISSION  
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### RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. These rules and regulations are in addition to the rules and regulations of the Kentucky Public Service Commission.
2. Any resident of the East Laurel Water District is eligible for water service from the District.
3. Water service will be terminated within 72 hours after receiving a written request from the customer requesting discontinuance.
4. A charge of \$20.00 will be charged for reconnection of service.
5. Water tap on Charge or Contribution in Aid of Construction shall be as follows:  
5/8 Inch Meter-----\$430.00  
1 Inch and Larger Meters-----Actual Cost of Installation
6. A charge of \$15.00 will be on all returned checks.
7. A charge of \$25.00 will be charged for retesting of meters by customer request if the meter is tested and found to be accurate, in accordance with KAR 5:006 Sect. 20.
8. A fee of \$15.00 will be charged for all additional trips to the customer's premises, such as incorrect addresses given, helping customer find water leaks on their side of the meter, etc.
9. Meters will be read monthly and statements will be mailed before the 10<sup>th</sup> of each month.
10. Service lines to meters and meters are property of the District. From the meter to the customer outlet installation and service will be the sole responsibility of the customer.
11. All meters will be located on district mains and in the absence of special permission on the property to be served. Reference is made to a more detailed explanation contained in the By-Laws.

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SECRETARY OF THE COMMISSION**

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### RULES AND REGULATIONS

12. On all new connections, a separate meter must be installed for each residence, apartment, unit, mobile home, business, or family unit residing in a duplex or other multi-unit premise. For existing customers where two or more residences, apartment units, mobile homes, businesses, or family units residing in a duplex or other multi-unit premise are served by a single water meter, the water bill for each occupant, tenant, business, or family unit will be computed as follows:

a. The customer whose name the meter is in will be billed for the actual water registered by that meter.

b. All other customers shall pay the minimum bill.

13. The District's system is not designed nor intended for use for fire protection in any manner whatsoever. Any customer using same for fire protection does so at their own full and sole responsibility.

14. A charge of \$20.00 will be charged for inspection of customer's service lines that are not covered by the state or local plumbing inspectors per KRS 318 as ordered by the Public Service Commission in Case No. 10048 on 6/22/88, Wood Creek Water District.

15. Extensions of Service:

The Association may make extensions per 807 KAR 5:066, Sect. 12 and/or 807 KAR 5:011, Sect. 13, Special Contracts, copy of approved contract attached hereto. All customers desiring an extension will be presented both of the above and may choose which one they prefer.

If surplus funds are used for extensions of service, the following criteria will be reviewed:

a. Whether surplus funds exist.

b. Substantial opportunity for repayment of the expended surplus funds exists.

c. The Extension would not otherwise be constructed, due to unavailability of financing from any other source.

d. Any other relevant facts that pertain to the proposed extension.

16. A charge of \$25.00 will be charged to the London Utility Commission for re-connection of water service for their sewer customers.

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BY Stanford Bell  
SECRETARY OF THE COMMISSION

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RATES AND CHARGES

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17. All customers have the option of having their payment automatically deducted from their checking or savings account. If the customer chooses that option, the payment will be deducted from the specified account on the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month. If funds are not available on the 15<sup>th</sup> the payment is considered late by the utility and all late charges and penalties will be applied. This service will be offered by the utility at no additional charge to the customer.
18. All customers have the option to pay their bill by either credit card or debit card. This method of payment can be made either in person at the office or by telephone. If on the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month an attempt to pay by credit card or debit card is made, and the card is declined for any reason, payment is still due in full on the 15<sup>th</sup> and will be considered late after that date. All late charges and penalties will be applied. This service will be offered by the utility at no additional charge to the customer.

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TITLE CHAIRMAN

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BY Charles W. Dyer  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



# EAST LAUREL WATER DISTRICT

118 Carter Drive

P. O. Box 726

London, Kentucky 40741

## LINE EXTENSION CONTRACT

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

ROAD: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF CUSTOMERS: \_\_\_\_\_

COST OF EXTENSION: \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT OF DISCOUNT: \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL COST AFTER DISCOUNT: \_\_\_\_\_

COST PER CUSTOMER: \_\_\_\_\_

TAP FEE PER CUSTOMER: \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL COST PER CUSTOMER: \_\_\_\_\_

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We, the undersigned, agree to accept the District allowing us 100 feet per customer, in lieu of the requirement of 50 feet, per 807 KAR 5:066, Section 12, (2), (a) and (b), with no reimbursement from the District.

FOR 807 KAR 5:011,  
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BY [Signature]  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION MANAGER

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BY: [Signature]  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION MANAGER

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

INSPECTION OF WATER SERVICE FOR OVER 10 ACRES

\_\_\_\_\_  
Water District

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

This is to certify that we have no cross connections.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Account Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Landowner

Attest:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Employee: Water District

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OF NEW JERSEY  
OFFICE OF THE  
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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PERSONNEL DIVISION  
OFFICE OF THE  
ATTORNEY GENERAL  
BY [Signature]  
ATTORNEY GENERAL

Form for filing Rate Schedules

For Eastern Laurel County  
Community, Town or City

P.S.C. NO. \_\_\_\_\_

1 SHEET NO. 1East Laurel Water District  
Name of Issuing CorporationCANCELLING P.S.C. NO. 96-2621 SHEET NO. 1

## CLASSIFICATION OF SERVICE

		RATE PER UNIT
A. <u>Minimum Water Rates Based on Size Connections</u>		
Size of Meter Connections	Number of Gallons or Less of Water Per Month to be Provided for the Minimum Rate	Minimum Monthly Water Rate
5/8 inch x 3/4 inch	2,000 Gallons	\$ 10.82
1 inch	6,000 Gallons	25.96
2 inch	20,000 Gallons	61.90
3 inch	30,000 Gallons	86.60
4 inch	50,000 Gallons	136.00

B. Meter Rates for Water Usage in Addition to Minimum Charge

Subject to the minimum monthly water rates specified above, the following metered charges shall be made for each 1,000 gallons of water consumption per month to customers of all size connections:

Number of Gallons of Water Per Month	Monthly Charge Per 1,000 Gallons Per Month
First 2,000 Gallons	\$ 10.82 - Minimum Bill
Next 2,000 Gallons	4.09 - Per 1,000 Gallons
Next 2,000 Gallons	3.48 - Per 1,000 Gallons
Next 4,000 Gallons	2.81 - Per 1,000 Gallons
All Over 10,000 Gallons	2.47 - Per 1,000 Gallons
Wholesale Rate	1.60 - Per 1,000 Gallons

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C. Delinquent Accounts

If bills are not paid by the 15th of the month a 10% penalty will be added to bill.

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Name of OfficerTITLE Chairman

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## Form for filing Rate Schedules

For Eastern Laurel County  
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1 SHEET NO. 1CANCELLING P.S.C. NO. 99241 SHEET NO. 1East Laurel Water District  
Name of Issuing Corporation

## CLASSIFICATION OF SERVICE

		RATE PER UNIT
PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE		
Tabulation Form to be used for purchased water adjustments in accordance with 807 KAR 5:067, Purchased Water Adjustment Clause, as adopted by the Public Service Commission.		
1. Volume of water purchased for 12-month period ended <u>November 30, 1989</u> (which is within 3 months of effective date of supplier's rate change) <u>1</u> /	<u>137,307,900</u> M Gal.	
2. Cost at new rates	\$ <u>157,909.09</u>	
3. Cost at Base Rate	\$ <u>144,173.30</u>	
4. Total change in cost (Item 2 minus Item 3)	\$ <u>13,730.79</u>	
5. Volume sold for same period as in Item 1	<u>116,711,700</u> M Gal.	
6. PWA per M gallon sold (Item 4 divided by Item 5)	<u>.12</u> ¢	
Note 1: Item 1 cannot, for this computation table, exceed Item 5 divided by .85.		
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EAST LAUREL WATER DISTRICT  
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CLASSIFICATION OF SERVICE

RATE  
PER UNIT

BILL FORMAT

EAST LAUREL WATER DISTRICT

FORWARD & ADDRESS CORRECTION

ACCOUNT NO.:

ITEM

AMOUNT

CODE

READING DATE

PREVIOUS READING

CURRENT READING

USAGE

UC

MR

AMOUNT

FIRST CLASS MAIL  
U.S. POSTAGE PAID

PERMIT NO.:

NET BILL  
DUE NOW

GROSS AMOUNT DUE  
AFTER DUE DATE

NET BILL DUE NOW

GROSS BILL  
DUE AFTER

ENTER  
READING

RETURN STUB WITH PAYMENT

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BY: [Signature]  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION MANAGER

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Name of Officer

TITLE Chairman

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WATER SHORTAGE RESPONSE PLAN

East Laurel Water District

PUBLIC SERVICE  
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Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of this Plan is to provide for the declaration of official phases of water supply shortages and the implementation of voluntary and mandatory water conservation measures throughout the East Laurel Water District in the event a shortage is declared.

Section 2. Definitions. These terms are applicable only for this Plan unless specifically noted.

- (a) "Customer" shall mean any person or entity using water for any purpose from the East Laurel Water District water distribution system and for which either a regular charge is made or, in the case of bulk sales, a cash charge is made at the site of delivery.
- (b) "Raw Water Supplies" shall mean all water potentially available to persons in the East Laurel Water District
- (c) "Treated Water" shall mean water that has been introduced by the East Laurel Water District into its water distribution system, including water offered for sale. Uses of treated water are classified as follows:

Essential Water Uses (Class 1):

The following uses of water, listed by site or user type, are essential.

Domestic:

- water necessary to sustain human life and the lives of domestic pets, and to maintain minimum standards of hygiene and sanitation.

Health Care Facilities:

- patient care and rehabilitation, including related filling and operation of swimming pools.

Water Hauling:

- sales of domestic use where not reasonably available elsewhere.

Public Use:

- firefighting,

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- health and public protection purposes, if specifically approved by health officials.

Socially or Economically Important Uses (Class 2):

The following uses of water, listed by site or user type, are socially or economically important.

Domestic:

- personal, in-house water use including kitchen, bathroom and laundry.

Water Hauling:

- non-domestic, when other sources are not reasonably available elsewhere.

Commercial and Civic Use:

- commercial car and truck washes,
- laundromats
- restaurants, clubs and eating places.
- schools, churches, motels/hotels and commercial establishments.

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Outdoor Non-Commercial Watering:

- minimal watering of vegetable gardens,
- minimal watering of trees where necessary to preserve them.

Outdoor Commercial or Public Watering (using conservation methods and when other sources of water are not available or feasible to use):

- agricultural irrigation for the production of food and fiber or the maintenance of livestock,
- watering by arboretums and public gardens of national, state, regional or community significance where necessary to preserve specimens,
- watering by commercial nurseries at a minimum level necessary to maintain stock,
- watering at a minimum rate necessary to establish or maintain revegetation or landscape plantings required pursuant to law or regulation,

- watering of woody plants where necessary to preserve them,
- minimal watering of golf course greens.

Recreational:

- operation of municipal swimming pools and residential pools that serve more than 25 dwelling units.

Air Conditioning:

- refilling for startup at the beginning of the cooling season,
- makeup of water during the cooling season,
- refilling specifically approved by health officials where the system has been drained for health protection or repair services.

Non-Essential Uses (Class 3):

Any waste of water, as defined herein, is non-essential. The following uses of water, listed by site or user type, are non-essential.

Public Use:

- use of fire hydrants (excluding Class 1 and Class 2 uses), including use of sprinkler caps, testing fire apparatus and fire department drills,
- flushing of sewers and hydrants except as needed to ensure public health and safety as approved by health officials.

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Commercial and Civic Use:

- serving water in restaurants, clubs, or eating places, except by customer request,
- failure to repair a controllable leak,
- increasing water levels in scenic and recreational ponds and lakes, except for the minimum amount required to support fish and wildlife.

Ornamental Purposes:

- fountains, reflecting pools and artificial waterfalls.

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Outdoor Non-Commercial Watering:

- - use of water for dirt control or compaction,
- watering of annual or non-woody plants, lawns, parks, golf course fairways, playing fields and other recreational areas,
- washing sidewalks, walkways, driveways, parking lots, tennis courts or other hard-surface areas,
- washing down buildings or structures for purposes other than immediate fire protection,
- flushing gutters or permitting water to run or accumulate in any gutter or street.

Outdoor Commercial or Public Watering:

- expanding nursery facilities, placing new irrigated agricultural land in production, or planting of landscaping except when required by a site design review process,
- use of water for dirt control or compaction,
- watering of lawns, parks, golf course fairways, playing fields and other recreational areas,
- washing sidewalks, walkways, driveways, parking lots, tennis courts or other hard-surface areas,
- washing down buildings or structures for purposes other than immediate fire protection,
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Recreational uses other than those specified in Class 2.

Non-commercial washing of motor and other vehicles.

Air Conditioning (see also Class 2 purposes):

- refilling cooling towers after draining.

(d) "Base Entitlement" shall mean the monthly usage for a customer during the same month of the preceding calendar year or the average per customer usage for each class of service during the same month of the preceding year.

(e) "Curtailed Entitlement" shall mean the monthly usage for a customer after any curtailment percentage has been applied.

(f) "Curtailment" shall mean the reduction in entitlement by some percentage to meet anticipated water shortages.

(g) Water Shortage Response Phases:

"Advisory" shall mean that conditions indicate the potential for serious raw or treated water supply shortages.

"Alert" shall mean the raw or treated water supplies are consistently below seasonal averages, and if they continue to decline, may not be adequate to meet normal needs.

"Emergency" shall mean that raw or treated water supplies are below the level necessary to meet normal needs and that serious shortages exist in the area.

(h) "Rationing" shall mean that procedures must be established to provide for the equitable distribution of critically-limited raw or treated water supplies, in order to balance demand and limited available supplies, and to assure that sufficient water is available to preserve public health and safety.

Section 3. Applicability. The provisions of this Plan shall apply to all retail and wholesale customers of the East Laurel Water District. When implemented, this Plan becomes East Laurel Water District Water Shortage Response Regulation.

Section 4. Entitlements. Entitlements shall be established for each customer by adjusting the base entitlement to reflect any known change in usage pattern.

Section 5. Determination of Water Shortage. Water supply and usage shall be monitored on a continuous basis. Unrestricted demand shall be projected from past records and adjusted for changes such as new developments and weather conditions on a regular basis. (Note: A sample calculation page is attached as Appendix A to assist in determining overall water levels. It is important that accurate water measurements be used.) Water shortages generally occur for two reasons, a reduction in available supplies or a system failure. Each of these has a distinct influence on the nature and duration of the conservation program implemented. Official declaration of a water shortage stage and implementation of the measures necessary to curtail water use shall be approved by the Laurel County Fiscal Court and East Laurel Water District.

Section 6. Term of Water Shortage Declaration. Any water shortage declaration shall remain in effect until water supplies of service conditions have returned to normal. A final determination as to terminating a water shortage declaration shall be made by the Chairman of East Laurel Water District.

Section 7. Water Shortage Stage, Criteria, Conservation and Curtailment Measures.

A. Advisory Stage:

- (1) Criteria: A water advisory shall be declared when the amount of treated water or raw water available for treatment is projected to be up to 5% below demand, or there are periods of low water pressure in one or more areas of the distribution system due to system failure or inadequacies or the State Division of Water issues a Water Shortage Watch which includes the areas from which the East Laurel Water District draws water. (Note: Additional conditions may be added based on local conditions.)
- (2) Conservation and Curtailment Measures:
  - (a) Declare a Water Shortage Advisory.
  - (b) Provide proper notice to all customers and to all local news media.
  - (c) Eliminate all water leaks.
  - (d) Request voluntary conservation of all non-essential (Class 3) water use.
  - (e) Request wholesale customers also issue request for voluntary conservation by their customers of all non-essential (Class 3) water use.

B. Alert Stage:

- (1) Criteria: A water alert shall be declared when the amount of treated water available is projected to be up to 10% below demand, or raw water supplies are consistently below seasonal averages and if they continue to decline, may not be adequate to meet normal needs. (Note: Additional conditions may be added based on local conditions.)
- (2) Conservation and Curtailment Measures:
  - (a) Declare Water Shortage Alert.
  - (b) Provide proper notice to all customers and to all local news media.
  - (c) Eliminate all water leaks.
  - (d) Prohibit all non-essential (Class 3) water uses.

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(e) Curtail entitlements to all customers by the same percentage as the projected shortage.

(f) Begin billing all customer water usage in excess of curtailed entitlement at the normal rate plus an excess usage charge of \$3.00 per 1,000 gallons.

C. Emergency Stage:

1. Criteria: A Water Emergency shall be declared when the amount of treated water available is projected to be up to 20% below demand, or there are periods of no water in one or more areas of the distribution system due to low water supply or raw water supplies below the level necessary to meet normal needs. (Note: Additional conditions may be added based on local conditions.)

2. Conservation and Curtailment Measures:

(a) Declare Water Shortage Emergency.

(b) Provide proper notice to all customers and to all local news media.

(c) Eliminate all water leaks.

(d) Prohibit all Class 3 uses of water.

(e) Prohibit all Class 2 uses of water except Domestic uses for kitchens, bathrooms and laundries.

(f) Curtail all commercial and industrial entitlements (except Health Care Facilities) by 100%.

(g) Curtail Residential entitlements by the same percentage as the projected shortage.

(h) Curtail entitlements to all wholesale customers by the same percentage as the projected shortage.

(i) Begin billing all customer water usage in excess of curtailed entitlement at the normal rate plus an excess usage charge of \$7.00 per 1,000 gallons.

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D. Rationing Stage:

1. Criteria: Treated water available is greater than 40% below demand or raw water supplies are below

- the level necessary to meet essential needs, and in the opinion of East Laurel Water District mandatory rationing is required to insure adequate water is available to maintain public health and safety.

2. Conservation and Curtailment Measures:

- (a) Declare Water Shortage Rationing.
- (b) Provide proper notice to all customers and to all local news media.
- (c) Eliminate all water leaks.
- (d) Prohibit all Class 3 and Class 2 uses of water.
- (e) Curtail all commercial and industrial entitlement (except Health Care Facilities) by 100%.
- (f) Curtail all residential and wholesale entitlements by the same percentage as the projected shortage.
- (g) Implement service interruptions to portions of system in accordance with approved published schedule. The schedule shall be provided to all local media.
- (h) Begin billing customer water usage in excess of curtailment entitlement at the normal rate plus an excess usage charge of \$15.00 per 1,000 gallons.

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Section 8. Enforcement of Water Restriction. Any person who violates the provisions of this Plan, who fails to carry out the duties and responsibilities imposed by this Plan, or who impedes or interferes with any action undertaken or ordered pursuant to this Plan shall be subject to the following:

- (a) If the utility official charged with implementation and enforcement of this Plan learns of any violation of any water use restriction imposed, a written notice of the violation shall be affixed to the property where the violation occurred and mailed to the customer of record. Said notice shall describe the violation and order that it be corrected, cured, or abated immediately or within 48 hours.
- (b) The notice will inform the customer of his or her right to appeal by requesting a hearing before the utility's designee. If a hearing is requested by the customer, he or she shall be given full opportunity to be heard

before termination. The governing body shall make findings of fact and decide whether service should continue or terminate.

- (c) Any customer whose water service is terminated for violating provisions of this water curtailment plan shall be subject to the approved reconnection fee prior to reconnection of service.
- (d) The excess usage charge billing provisions of this Plan shall not be put in effect if a county or city ordinance containing penalty provisions is in effect to assist enforcement of this Plan.

**Section 9. Request for Exception.**

(a) Exception to water use restrictions: If compliance with any curtailment measure authorized herein would cause a customer to bear extraordinary hardship, that individual or entity may apply to the East Laurel Water District for an exception. For these purposes, "extraordinary hardship" shall be defined as a condition which may threaten health and safety, or cause property or economic losses, each of which must be shown to be substantially more severe than the sacrifices borne by other users. If extraordinary hardship is found to exist, then an exception shall be granted and a written waiver issued to the customer. If an appeal is made, water service shall be continued until a decision is announced. Any person aggrieved by the decision may file a complaint with the Public Service Commission.

- (b) Exception to curtailment surcharge: Exceptions to excess use charges shall not be considered or granted.

**Section 10. Severability.** If any provision of this Plan is declared invalid by the courts, the remainder of the Plan and its applicability to other persons and circumstances shall not be affected by that declaration.

**Section 11. Effective Date.** This Plan shall take effect immediately upon approval by the Public Service Commission.

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